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For FY 2006☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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First Named Inventor	Michael O. Rocheleau
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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200	100
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Multiple dependent claims

360	180
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Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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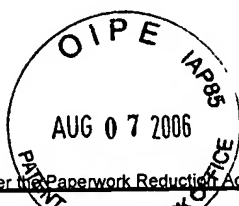
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ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)



Fee Transmittal Form



Fee Attached



Amendment/Reply



After Final



Affidavits/declaration(s)



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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2006, entry of the following amendment to the above-identified application is respectfully requested:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

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